Our Science Olympiad teams did a great job this past weekend securing first place in both B and C divisions! The competition included 20 high schools and 22 middle schools from across southwest Missouri. We are on to the state competition in April!

Denise Vinton Scholars Science Science Olympiad Coach

Here is a list of our team members followed by their accomplishments in individual events:

Central Bulldogs Red Team - First Place: Johnson Luu, Katie Lu, Naseem Saquer, Spencer Stringer, Will Hutson, Lucas Hutchens, Dylan Fowler, Erica Sawyer, Jacob Sharp, John Georgiades, Liz Cardoza, Toheed Mahmood, Christina Kasch, Ethan Lai, and Theo Luan.

Central Pugs Red Team - First Place: Hayden Wilson, Jordan Altic, Mack Hadi, Maggie Stanfield, Tanner Wilson, Cole Brodeur, Dakota Walton, Elana Hadi, Gehrig Eoff, Hannah Young, Jack Butler, Katie Su, Paul Mariuta, Ned Pickett, and Kennedy Orr.

Central Bulldogs Black Team: Bryan Liu, Caleb Horsch, Alex Zhu, Charlie Peters, Choong An, Colin Stenger, Kshitij Sharma, Ryan Xu, Jenny Pham, Simarpreet Girn, Andy Su, Colin Clark, Krishan Ghosh, and Sophie Dawson.

Central Pugs Black Team: Aaryan Thavaran, Audrey McDowell, Blakely True, Connor Schmutz, Evan McKechan, Maddox McKenzie, Saahil Verma, Daniel Bao, Evan Siever, Grace Luo, Harrison Reed, Lola Verdugo, Madeleine Bauer, and Sohum Dua.

Event Awards C division (grades 9-12)

## First Place

Katie Lu and Naseem Saquer in Chemistry Lab Ethan Lai and Jacob Sharp in Circuit Lab Ethan Lai, Jacob Sharp, and Naseem Saquer in Codebusters Dylan Fowler and Liz Cardoza in Disease Detectives Christina Kasch, Katie Lu, and Will Hutson in Experimental Design Jacob Sharp and Johnson Luu in Fermi Questions Charlie Peters and Colin Clark in Mousetrap Vehicle John Georgiades and Naseem Saquer in Protein Modeling

#### Second Place

Dylan Fowler and Liz Cardoza in Anatomy and Physiology Dylan Fowler and Liz Cardoza in Dynamic Planet Alex Zhu and Colin Stenger in Fermi Questions John Georgiades and Lucas Hutson in Forensics Christina Kasch and Theo Luan in Fossils Christina Kasch and Theo Luan in Mousetrap Vehicle Toheed Mahmood and Will Hutson in Thermodynamics Katie Lu and Will Hutson in Water Quality

# Third Place

Johnson Luu and Lucas Hutchens in Astronomy Christina Kasch and Will Hutson in Designer Genes Colin Clark in Mission Possible Theo Luan and Toheed Mahmood in Wright Stuff

## Fourth Place

Bryan Liu and Sophie Dawson in Anatomy and Physiology Choong An and Ryan Xu in Astronomy Jenny Phan and Simarpreet Girn in Designer Genes Georgiades and Toheed Mahmood in Sounds of Music

Event Awards B division (grades 6-9)

## First Place

Elana Hadi, Hayden Wilson, and Maggie Stanfield in Experimental Design Hayden Wilson and Jordan Altic in Heredity Maggie Stanfield and Tanner Wilson in Potions and Poisons Mack Hadi and Maggie Stanfield in Water Quality

## Second Place

Cole Brodeur and Gehrig Eoff in Anatomy and Physiology Mack Hadi and Tanner Wilson in Circuit Lab Grace Luo, Harrison Reed, and Lola Verdugo in Experimental Design Dakota Walton and Mack Hadi in Fossils Jordan Altic and Tanner Wilson in Meteorology

#### Third Place

Elana Hadi and Hannah Young in Crimebusters Hannah Young and Katie Su in Dynamic Planet Lola Verdugo and Madeleine Bauer in Potions and Poisons

#### Fourth Place

Cole Brodeur and Maggie Stanfield in Disease Detectives Dakota Walton and Ned Pickett in Elastic Launched Glider

## Fifth Place

Jack Butler and Paul Mariuta in Density Lab Hayden Wilson and Jordan Altic in Game On Elana Hadi and Jack Butler in Thermodynamics

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